

HE WHO KNOWS NOTHING IS NEARER THE TRUTH THAN HE WHOSE MIND IS FILLED WITH FALSEHOODS AND ERRORS.—Thomas Jefferson

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VISIT SHEEP FARM — On Friday, April 13, Wee Care Nursery School students had the fun of visiting Laban's Sheep Farm in Northwest Bethel. Mrs. Suzanne Laban spoke to the students about their sheep. It was exciting to be able to pet the baby lambs. Those attending were Erin Kavanagh, Jennifer Moore, Jaime Grover, Martha Grover, Sarah Seames, Timothy Adams, Justin Gilbert, Cathy Morgan, and Victoria Coolidge. Special guests were Erica Gundersen, Stephen Greenleaf, and Eli Mann. Unable to attend was Marcy Lavalley. Shown petting a lamb, held by Nursery School teacher, Judy Coolidge, are Cathy Morgan and Martha Grover.

NURSERY SCHOOL TO OPEN THIS FALL

Bethel Pre-School, under the director of Martha Brown will open this fall on Broad Street. Programs for children age two through six will run Monday through Friday. A two year old play group will meet one morning per week; a three year old program two mornings; a four year old program two mornings per week, and an enrichment program for five and six year olds one afternoon per week. All programs will include activities promoting the development of the skills appropriate for each individual child in the areas of language, self-help, socialization, large and small muscle control, perception, and pre-academics. Learning centers will include a housekeeping/dramatic play area, a block corner, an area for art/messy play activities, cooking, an area for quiet play, an area for exploration and experimentation and a book corner. Children will be able to enjoy such activities as free play, group games, circle time, snack time, field trips, outdoor activities, music, art, cooking, science and stories. Martha Brown is married to Merton Brown and they have two daughters, Phoebe, 2 1/2, and Paige, 11 months. Martha graduated from Gould Academy and from Wheel-

M.S.A.D. #44 DIRECTORS TO MEET MONDAY AT TELSTAR

The S.A.D. 44 Board of Directors will meet in regular session in the Telstar Library at 7:30 on Monday evening, April 23. Agenda items will include requested action on the appointment of a temporary Buildings and Grounds Supervisor and establishing compensation rates for the position.

The Directors will also be asked to name teachers for the following positions for the 1984-85 school year: Grade 2, CPS; Social Studies, TMS; Mathematics, TRHS. Action is scheduled concerning a resignation in the Food Services department.

A date, time and location is scheduled to be set for the Annual District Budget Meeting.

At four o'clock Monday afternoon, April 23, newly-elected Board members and other interested Directors are scheduled to meet with the Superintendent in Telstar Library for an Orientation Workshop.

SHEDS TO BE WELCOMED AT OPEN HOUSE

The Eleanor Gordon Guild and the United Methodist Women will hold an Open House and Welcome for Dr. Judy Shedd and her husband, Sean, on Saturday, April 28, from 2 to 4 p. m., in the dining room at the United Methodist Church.

The public is invited to come and meet Judy and Sean, and help welcome them to the community. For further information, please contact Christine Greenleaf at 824-2744.

"A TOUCH OF SIGN" FROM BAXTER AT TELSTAR MAY 2

May is Speech and Hearing month. As part of their Handicap Awareness, S.A.D. 44 will be presented "A Touch of Sign", formerly known as "The Baxter Signing Singers." These students attend the Baxter School for the Deaf and will be performing sign language to songs.

The program will be held on Wednesday evening, May 2, at 7:30 p. m. in the Telstar Auditorium in Bethel. A brief description on hearing loss will be given by Patricia Pratt, Director of Special Services, at S.A.D. 44, and a demonstration will follow with a certified Hearing Ear Dog and deaf owner. The program is free to the public.

T.T.A.E.R.S. EVERY MEMBER CANVASS CONTINUING

Tri-Town Ambulance Service, serving the towns of Greenwood, West Paris, and Sumner, continues to solicit door to door during the two-week canvass held from April 16 to April 30. When a Tri-Town member comes to your door with a newsletter, please give generously. Residents of Greenwood will be receiving an orange telephone sticker in large print to put on their telephone. Other residents received this in their monthly phone bills last month. Any who did not donate may contribute directly to Tri-Town Ambulance Service, P. O. Box 328, Bryant Pond, Me.

"A WORKERS GUIDE TO LABOR LAW" AT TELSTAR APRIL 30

There will be a special workshop on "A Worker's Guide to Labor Law" on Monday, April 30 from 7-9 p. m. at Telstar Regional High School, co-sponsored by the S.A.D. Adult & Community Education program and the Bureau of Labor Education at UMO. William Murphy of UMO will be the speaker and topics to be covered will include the rights of workers in private and public sector employment, occupational safety and health, work related injuries and

FROM THE BETHEL TOWN OFFICE

Spring Clean-Up Day

—Monday, April 30
Bethel's annual Spring Clean-Up Day has been scheduled for Monday, April 30. Highway Department crews will pick up waste materials placed beside the road at 8 a. m. Material should be placed in plastic bags or other disposable containers and brush should be tied in bundles. All materials should weigh no more than can be lifted by two men.

Tax Bills Mailed

Transition period tax bills were mailed on Tuesday, April 17. They address the period from Jan. 1 through June 30, 1984, for municipal services approved at the March Town Meeting. Bethel has elected to move the municipal accounting year (July 1-June 30) following this six-month change over period. The last date of the interest free period for paying transition year taxes is May 15, 1984.

As directed by state law, transition continued on Page Five

FATHER/SON CUB SCOUT CAKE BAKE AUCTION

The public is invited to attend the Cub Scout Father/Son Cake Auction Tuesday, April 24, 7 p. m., at Telstar Regional High School Cafeteria. Proceeds will benefit Maine Special Olympics.

VOLLEYBALL PLAYOFFS

Playoffs in the Adult Co-ed Volleyball League are scheduled for Wednesday, April 25, at 7 p. m. in the Telstar Gym.

diseases, unemployment compensation, employment discrimination and other state and federal laws.

To enroll in the workshop, call the S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program, 824-2780. There will be a fee charged per person which will include the publication "A Worker's Guide to Labor Law."

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Mary Is Retiring!

The Gasco Northern Bank, N.A., is announcing the retirement of Mary C. Keniston, who has served Bethel area customers for the past 20 years. To honor this dedicated employee, an invitation to all her friends, neighbors and associates, is cordially extended to visit the Bank at any time on Wednesday, April 25th, between 9:00 and 2:30, and wish her well in her retirement years. Refreshments will be served.

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WOODSTOCK FIFTH & SIXTH GRADERS RAISING \$1,500 FOR BOSTON TRIP

The fifth and sixth graders at Woodstock Elementary School are working against the clock to raise \$1,500 for a two-day field trip to Boston. The students will be leaving May 11. They will visit Strawberry Banke in New Hampshire. Then on to Boston for a visit to the Aquarium and the Science Museum and a sightseeing tour of a city so important to American history.

In order to raise the money needed for museum tickets, food and accommodations, student and parent volunteers have been hard at work. There have been bake sales at Stowell's mill, a fund raiser in progress now is offering an entire typewritten sheet full of excellent prizes! Winners' names will be announced May 4 at a supper the classes are sponsoring. And speaking of sponsoring—there will be a walk-a-thon on April 24. Please start saving bottles for the bottle drive May 4. Finally on April 28 from 10-2 there will be a Flea Market in the W.E.S. Gym. It is hoped people from neighboring towns will participate in donating items such as furniture, appliances, toys, clothes, etc. They may be brought to the gym starting at 8:00. This is an opportunity to do some very useful spring cleaning and pick up some excellent bargains in the process!

Working together, students, teachers and parents have raised over \$500 so far. There are only three weeks left to obtain the rest. Your support is needed! Call 665-2188 for further information.

BETHEL SOFTBALL

There will be a meeting for all those interested in having a team in the Bethel Softball League this summer. The meeting will be Wednesday, April 25, at the Casco Bank at 6 p. m. All interested parties should be present for this meeting. For more information call Jim Lumney, 824-3179.

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Monday until 8 p. m.
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Public Supper

Saturday, April 21st, 1984
Lions Den, Bethel
(I.O.O.F.) on Main St.
6:00 to 7:30 P. M.
Oven-fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, buttered peas, cole slaw, rolls, apple crisp, beverage
\$4.00 \$2.50 under 12
Sponsored by Bethel Lions Club

Andover

EAST ANDOVER

— Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Cor. —

Children who will enter the kindergarten class at Andover Elementary School in the fall were registered on Wednesday, April 11. They were Olaf Carlson, Scott Conant, Walter Drakus, Shelley Elliott, Daniel Emerson, Fred Emerson, Liza Fyberg, Stephanie Hurd, Megan Meisner, Angela Smith and Amber White.

Mrs. Orville Meisner and her sister, Mrs. Douglas Reed, Enfield, Conn., spent the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haney (nee Roberta Abbott) and family in McLeansboro, Ill. They will return on Good Friday.

Sympathy is extended to the family of William MacDougall in their great loss.

Mrs. Olive Whitten and Mrs. Flora Whitten left Friday for North Scituate, R. I., where they will visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hodson.

Mrs. Dorothy Campbell has returned to her home in South Andover after spending the winter months in Portland with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston attended the Mollocket Mixers class graduation on Wednesday evening. Other dancers from Andover were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Farrington and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Morton. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitten of Andover graduated with "flying colors". Welcome to the Mollocket Mixers.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston were guests of Rev. and Mrs. David Wuori over the week end.

Mrs. Eva Bodwell and Allen were in Albion to visit her sister, Mrs. Ruth Wentworth, who had returned after spending the winter months in Virginia. They also took "Ladys", her dog home. She had been staying with them while her mistress was away.

Mrs. Rex Thurston and sons, Danny, Jon, and Kurt, and Mrs. Walter Jodrey left Sunday for a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. Francis Humphrey and Melissa, in Manchester, N. H.

Miss Tiffanie Marston, Hollis, is spending her vacation with her aunt, Fannie Hall.

Mrs. Bernice Glover is visiting this week at Hollis.

Mrs. Alma Hewey is a patient at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Greeters at the First Congregational Church Sunday, April 15 were Mrs. Rosemary Casavant and sons, Dwayne and George. Dick Johnston is heading the Easter breakfast committee and asks the ladies to please bring muffins for the breakfast. If there are any emergencies for which people would like to have a minister — please contact Betsy Fisher, 392-3506 — who will put you in touch with one of the clergy who have agreed to help out while Rev. Churchill is away. If you would

like to have flowers in the sanctuary for the Easter Services, please see Jane Rich. The church will be open Saturday between noon and 1 o'clock for the purpose of receiving flowers. These can either be your own flowers which you can pick up after the services or flowers you would like to go to shut-ins after the service. Easter Sunday greeters will be Mr. and Mrs. James Bodwell and Debi. Easter Sunday Sunrise Service at 6:30 a. m. followed by Easter breakfast. The regular service will be conducted at 9:30 by Frank Harrison Rodgers of Bangor Theological Seminary. Good Friday Service here at 12 noon. Anyone interested in leading a portion of the service, please contact Jane Rich. Palm Sunday courtesy of Polly Johnston.

Rev. Donald Grover of the Calvary Congregational Church brought his message on Sunday from Luke 19:18-44 "Christ the King". Diane Wells on the clarinet played a solo, "Glory Land and Honor". In the absence of Edna White who is visiting her son, Russell and family in Virginia, Judy Bailey and Marilyn Morton are filling in for her. The choir sang: "There is a Green Hill". This week the club for the Seekers and followers, grade 3 and up will be canceled due to vacation. A good time was enjoyed last Friday by the Club as they went swimming over to West Paris. Services this Sunday, 6:30, service and breakfast 9:30, Sunday School, all ages; 10:45, Easter the Beginning. There will be no evening service.

Elderwood Manor

Charles Marston visited his sister, Mrs. Georgie Fraser on Saturday.

Mrs. Louise Powell visited her mother, Mrs. Alma Hewey, a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson recently received a note and a Tuskegee Gram from an Appalachian Trail Hiker, Dr. Winston Lumsden, who stopped at their camp at Surplus Pond which is near the Appalachian Trail in May 1983. In the Gram he had written of his adventures and folks he met on the trail, especially of the fears — mosquitoes, difficult terrain, wild animals, hypothermia, lack of sleep, limited food supply, that all had to be conquered — and the quest for the next lean to!

He took time off the trail to run and complete the New York Marathon in October 1983 and plans to do it again in October 1984. According to Trail records Dr. Lumsden is the second black person to hike the trail from North to South and the first to hike both ways. In the Gram he also wrote he remembers running around Tuskegee Institute and people considered it odd. Now everyone is running and it's called jogging. A physical fitness buff — he writes this makes him happy as everyone over 50,

GIRL SCOUT TROOP 712

Girl Scout Troop 712 has been very busy working on different badges. We took a trip recently to Frieden Dorf in Bryant Pond where we learned all about pottery and how to fire it. Mrs. Corrin and her apprentices worked with us making masks. They came out really neat! During our meetings we learned about cameras and took pictures of each other with our masks. Our cookie sale was pretty good. The money we raised is going toward a trip to Boston later in the year. Thanks for buying our cookies. — Shaci Bean, Denise Coolidge, Michelle Perry.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. 44 — APRIL 23-27

Monday: Steak-um sandwich (bun), corn, applesauce, bread and butter (optional), milk.

Tuesday: Sloppy Joe on rice or biscuit, green beans, spice cake, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Wednesday: Hot dog in home made bun, cheese slice, fresh vegetable sticks, orange juice, milk.

Thursday: Fish in batter, mashed potato, peas and carrots, chocolate chip cookies, bread and butter, milk.

Friday: Home made vegetable beef stew, salad, fruit, hot cinnamon bun, milk.

and all ages, should get actively involved in nature.

Dr. Lumsden, has earned a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, Master of Education, the Bachelor of Science Degree in Animal Science, and the Educational Specialist Degree from Tuskegee Institute. He was also a professor of medicine. He earned the M.P.H. degree at Howard University and did work towards a Ph.D. at Cornell University.

In his note Dr. Lumsden envisions a trail from Maine to Canada via the Appalachian Trail and Long Trail to Georgia to Tuskegee and from Tuskegee to Key West, Fla., South Carolina and on to Maine. He stated it would be called the Double Long Trail.

The hiker left Tuskegee March 13, 1984, for Key West, Fla., and plans to be in Maine by this fall.

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Sent in by Viva Whitman:

It is supposed to be Spring, but where is that nice warm sunny weather we think of as being the sure signs of Spring. It seems as though the sun must have gotten lost, no more than we have seen it lately. It might blind us for a little, but I wish it would come out of hiding and let us see it once more.

Russell and I have been busy in spite of the weather. We have decided that the sun isn't going to co-operate with us anyway, so we have been doing a lot of painting to seal in all the formaldehyde we can and if paint can do it, there shouldn't be too much left when we get through. I can't tell you how much lighter the rooms are that we have gotten painted. The paneling was a dark brown and we have painted the top half of most of the rooms a light color and then put molding along the wall dividing the colors. We think it looks a lot better and that is what counts.

Had a lady and gentleman come Monday to put a jacket on the water heater and new fittings on the faucets. The jacket is supposed to help save on electricity, so we will wait and see if it does what it should.

Sister Laura Hutchins of East Andover had called Monday night to let us know of our cousin, Ona Tyler's death. We don't take a daily paper so hadn't heard about it. The funeral was to be on Tuesday at 1:30 and Laura wanted to know if we were going. As I had had Ona cut my hair for a number of years when she worked in her beauty shop, I was anxious to go. Russell and I had spoken of stopping to see the girls some day, but just hadn't done it. I didn't know that she was so sick or would have tried harder to go see her. My Wynona was up to work at the Child Health Clinic. So joined us going to the funeral.

Wednesday, we were going to town to do the wash and then to the doctors at Fryeburg, but got a call that he wouldn't be in until the next day. We went and did the wash anyway and then painted some more and got molding put up part of the way. Didn't figure right when we got the molding so had to get more and stain it.

It looked pretty good on Thurs-

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West Greenwood

— Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. —

Alan Wilson is spending school vacation with his uncle, Jeff Carril, in Waterboro.

Denny, Rita, Doug, and David Wilson arrived home Saturday evening from a vacation in Florida. Mindy stayed a few more days and plans to fly home today—Tuesday.

second and fourth Saturday night of the month and I have tried to line up some good programs for the summer months, and will keep trying to the best of my ability. We welcome any visitors who would like to come and try to make them feel at home and have a good time, so if you have nothing better to do, why not come to Grange? If you don't belong now, we would be glad to get applications to you and have you join. We really need your support, so don't let us down.

Sunday has been another day of painting for Russell and myself. No callers, so as the saying goes, "The better the day, the better the deed." If that is so then our painting should look especially nice.

Guess the robins think Spring has sprung as we have seen a few, but not too many. We keep having new birds appear and love to watch them. If it ever gets warmer, I hope to be able to go out and enjoy the outdoors, but it still feels too cool for me to go out much yet.

Guess I've rattled on enough for this time, but I would like to thank Richard Felt of Franklin Grange, Dorothy and Harold Campbell, and Evelyn Jackson of Oxford Grange for their most pleasant appearance at Bear River Grange and the help given on Saturday night. God bless them for coming to support us.

NOTICE

There will be an informal meeting of Purity Chapter #102 O.E.S. officers and others interested in working for the Chapter in 1984-1985 on Wednesday, April 25, at 7:30 p. m. at Dick and Nesta Littlefield's home, South Bethel.

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come. Our Grange meets every day for our trip to Fryeburg and then we had to go to Lewiston also. We were grateful for the best weather of the week. We stopped in Bridgton to have lunch before going on to Lewiston where I had an appointment to keep. Russell and I took supper with Wynona before heading for home.

My throat started getting sore and Friday, I was sick all day with this cold that hit me. They sure like to visit me real often, so it seems. Still coughing my head off and sneezing and all the good stuff that goes with a cold. Should be used to it by now, after this winter and the miseries it passed in my direction. I didn't feel up to going to town with Russell to get groceries, so the dog and I stayed home. We put on more molding during the day but ran out so had to wait for the new molding Russell got to be stained and have polyurethane put on it to make it shine. However, it is ready now and I expect we will soon have the rest of it in place.

Saturday was Grange Night at Bear River Grange and I didn't know whether I'd be able to make it or not, but with a cat nap or two in the afternoon, I was able to and have a good time. It would be better if more members would come support us. If they don't I'm afraid our Grange will fold as just a few can not do all the work and make an organization work for its best purpose. If we hadn't had guests from Oxford Grange, we wouldn't have been able to have a meeting. As it was, we had only six members of our own Grange come and four guests. We had a beautiful pot luck supper as usual and a good program. As Lechner, I had planned for Scrambled Officers Night and each one bring something for the program. I am happy to say that everyone there was most helpful and we had one of the best programs we have had for a long time. I just wish others would come and enjoy the good times with us so we won't have to close down the Grange. We need help and we need members. Our next meeting is Instruction with our Deputy present. There will be a 6:30 pot luck supper as usual and hope more members will

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**BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS
MET AT SOUTH PARIS APRIL 11**

The Bethel Senior Citizens met April 11 at a South Paris restaurant with 59 present. Vice President Harold Powell conducted the meeting starting with the flag salute, followed by a silent prayer in memory of Mildred Chapman and Albert Kimball. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted. The Sunshine chairman was absent, so no report.

Lindley Wieden reported that the Western Maine Older Citizen Council membership meeting will be held at Livermore Falls, April 20. The entertainment will be Frank Pratt with music and songs. There will be a flea market put on by the Council May 6 from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. which will be held in the Lewiston Armory. Joan Coolidge announced the Boston trip will be June 4-6. The bus will pick up Bethel people at the Bull Dog Diner at 8 a. m. and stop at the Cornwall Plaza at 8:45 a. m. Muriel Fausti reported a successful fair at the Ledgewick Nursing Home.

It was voted that at the May meeting each member give \$1.00 toward the birthday cakes for the coming year.

The next regular meeting will be held May 9 at Sunday River Inn.

It was reported Dorothy Graves is in the Stephens Memorial Hospital with a broken hip and that Iva Hutchinson is in the Maine Medical in Portland.

Those observing birthdays in April are: Grace Day, Evelyn Reed, Hubert Stevens, Bessie Newcomb, Donald Bennett, Mary Knight and Elsie Davis. The birthday cake was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lord, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Stevens, Eva Lane, Ruth Wilkinson, Julia Brown and Annie Kimball. It was made by Leona Flint.

There were two ladies with beautiful Easter hats: Carolyn Brooks and Grace Morrill. Carolyn won first prize, and Grace, second prize.

The speaker for the afternoon was Linda Tilton, manager of Blue Shield and Companion Plan Claims.

**WEST BETHEL
CHILDREN'S CENTER
Menu April 23-27**

Monday: Breakfast—cold cereal, banana, milk; Lunch—ham and green pepper quiche, whole wheat crackers, tossed salad, oranges, milk. Tuesday: breakfast—date muffin, apple juice, milk; Lunch—chicken pie, peaches, milk. Wednesday: Breakfast—French toast, grape juice, milk; Lunch—spaghetti and meat balls, shredded lettuce, oranges, milk. Thursday: Breakfast—Maltex, orange juice, milk; Lunch—beef stew, Waldorf salad, milk. Friday: Breakfast—raisin bran, mixed juice, milk; Lunch—fish on a bun, pickled beets, apples, milk.

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— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —

The news behind the news in regard to the criminal capture which took place in Colebrook last Friday. This you are unlikely to get from C.B.S. and the Citizen may be exclusive. The news media called those in charge as to whether they might fly into Colebrook using a landing strip there and were informed that the strip was in Springtime condition and not fit for a plane landing. They came anyway and did several thousand dollars worth of damage. I suppose they had to be first with the news but the general public wouldn't have suffered had they waited another 24 hours to know about the event any more than you who are hearing this for the first time suffered by waiting a week to know. To misquote Shakespeare "What strange fools these mortals be."

Ellie Lacombe, R. N., who has regular duty at Colebrook hospital as surgical nurse and is also on call, was called in Friday afternoon. Donald and Rose Scott who are working on their advanced First Aid training were also in the hospital in Colebrook in that capacity.

The surgeon from Colebrook was in North Conway at a special meeting and flew in a helicopter to Errol International Airport and from there went to Colebrook with the Errol Game Warden, Warren Jenkins. The Attorney General from Concord, N. H., also flew into Errol and Mr. Jenkins made a second trip to escort him to Colebrook.

A local man had been injured by a chain saw Friday which was a factor in requiring more of the medical staff in the hospital.

I admire the courage of the officer who was injured in the fracas. According to very reliable sources the bullets fired were intended for the officer and not for self-infliction.

Ryan and Jerry Bernier spent a couple of days with their aunt, Laurie Bergeron and family. The Bergerons were guests of the Andrie Berniers Saturday evening. I attended the Open House at

West Bethel

Tuesday, April 10, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cummings and daughter, Cathryn Lovejoy joined Mrs. Ellen Whitney for lunch in Bethel.

Mrs. Cathryn Lovejoy was celebrating her birthday all the week with dinners with Mr. and Mrs. Rick Whitney in Bethel, Sunday night, with the Alanson Lovejoy family on Friday night, and in Rumford Saturday night with the West family at a restaurant in Mexico. Her husband and parents joined her at most events.

Sunday, April 15, Miss Angela Lovejoy was seven years old. After Sunday School, she was given a party at her home with a large gathering, that included grandparents from both sides of her family. Her mother fashioned the original cake. Miss Angela went to Rumford for a visit with her aunt, Marlene Sweetser, that night.

Miss Rebecca West of Rumford is having a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lovejoy, during school vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cummings were in Norway Thursday on errands. They visited Forest Martin near Norway Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sennett in West Paris, on their way home.

The neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe are happy to have them home from four months in

the Village Gallery in Temple Saturday. Featured were many paintings by a variety of artists including Melanie, my favorite artist. Included was a portrait of my beautiful Mama from a snapshot of her during the last summer of her life. She was at the home of Larry Wade during the last of his community outings when the picture was taken.

The snow cover has nearly gone and the road beds are settling down.

The school children are home for a week's vacation.

Some moose are being sighted in the moose crossing of Granton Flats. Some folks in a Vermont car watched a mother and baby moose feed there Saturday.

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**SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE
TO MEET APRIL 23**

Sunset Rebekah Lodge will meet at 8 o'clock the evening of Monday, April 23. All members are urged to attend.

Florida, where they had a nice winter.

Kenneth Lovejoy is home from the Norway hospital where he went for tests on Monday.

Alanson Cummings went Monday for a check up. He stood his four months in Florida very well.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downing of West Paris visited the Cleveland Lovejoys. Last Sunday Mrs. Downing was given a "big" birthday party at her nephew's, Mason Noyes' in North Paris.

Mrs. Ethel (Bunny) McMunn celebrated her birthday by sighting a moose. Then on Saturday evening she was honored guest at a restaurant in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Merrill have returned home following a trip by train to Starkville, Miss., where they visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Staples.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell were in Canton Friday to call on Mildred Patterson.

Arthur and Ruth Gilbert were in Shirley, Mass., this past week end as guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stowell. They brought their granddaughter back with them for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd were in Brewer, Saturday, at the home of their son and family, Craig and Janis Boyd and Chelsea. Frances Bennett went as far as Winthrop to spend the day with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Carl Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett were in Haverhill, N. H., on Sunday as dinner guests of their aunt, Evelyn Aremburg.

George and Mary Stowell of Falmouth spent Saturday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell.

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Rotary Club News

The Bethel Rotary Club held its regular weekly luncheon meeting at the Sudbury Inn on April 17. The program chairman was Roger Conant and his program was, speaker Ray Harrington. He spoke on the Boy Scouts program in Bethel, and the history of Scouting. The Scouting movement began in England and over the years has expanded world-wide. Scouting in the U. S. was chartered in 1910. There are 26 Scouts in Troop 565. Bethel will be hosting the Spring Camporee, May 18-20. Good luck Ray and the Scouts.

The District Assembly meeting held in Waterville, on April 14 was attended by Jim Monahan, Roger Conant, Rollie Glines and Lennie Shaw. This is the assembly that provides the initial introduction of the new District Governor, including Rotary Club presidents, directors of services, and others. All local representatives agreed that the meeting furnished valuable guidelines and information for application and development in the Rotary year 1984-85. Some of the information extending from the Assembly was relayed to the members at the Tuesday meeting. Jim Monahan will use his May 8, 1984, program time to talk about organizational planning and goals for 1984-85, based on recommendations made by the present and the incoming District Governors, and other speakers, at the Assembly.

Romeo Baker, Rotary Information Chairman, provided an interesting program for the members. He departed from the hard facts of Rotary, and talked about moles, voles, and other little rodents that do damage to lawns and gardens.

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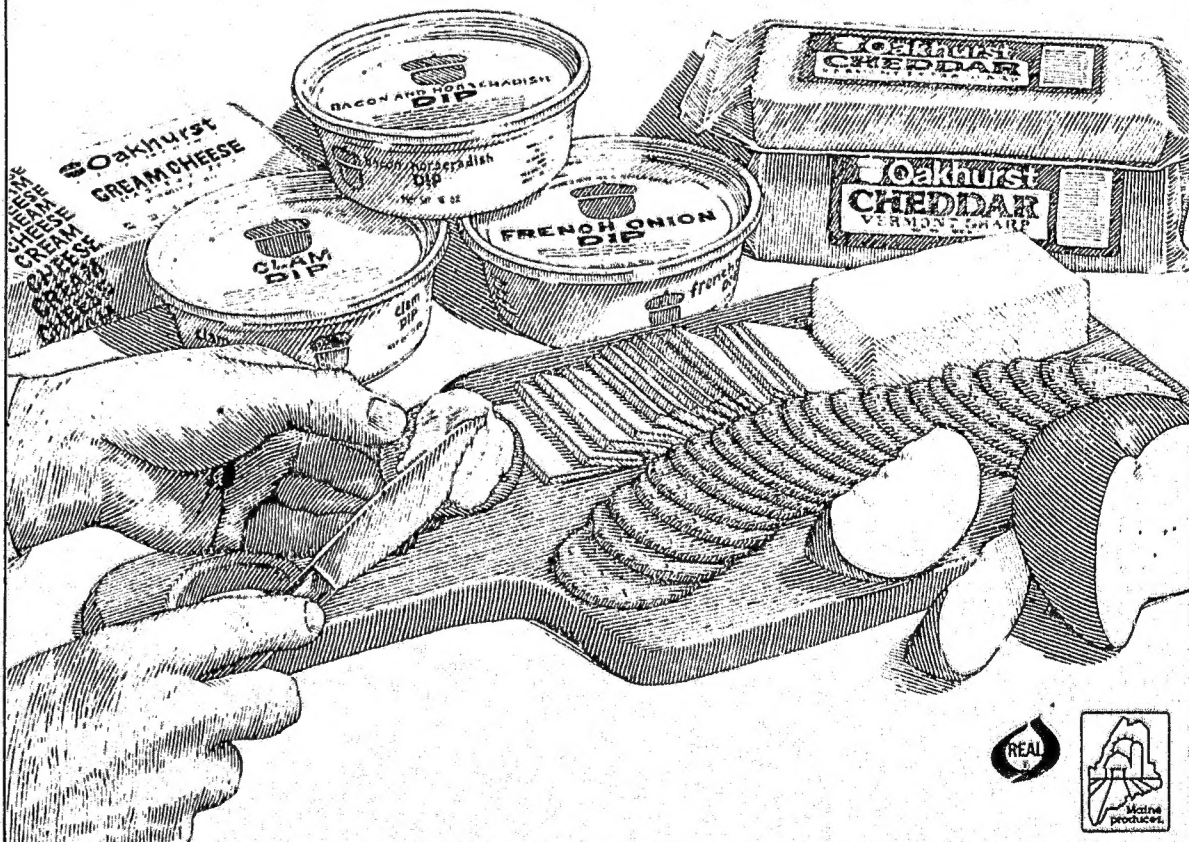
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COMBINED SERVICE

West Bethel Union Church and Newry Community Church will hold combined services at Newry on Sunday, April 29, at 9 a. m. No service will be held at West Bethel. Pastor Rodney Hanscom and Rev. Norman Rust will conduct the service.

AREA CHURCHES
OBSERVE HOLY WEEK

Several special services of worship are being offered by local churches during Holy Week. Everyone in the community is encouraged to attend one or several of the following services:

Maundy Thursday, April 19:

6 p. m. A fellowship supper with communion will be held at the West Parish Congregational Church, joining with the congregations of the United Methodist Church and the West Bethel Union Church.

7:30 p. m. The Mission Congregational Church of West Paris will host the Locke Mills Union Church for a Tenebrae Service.

Good Friday, April 20:

7:30 p. m. The Bethel Area Clergy Association invites the community to a remembrance of Christ's Passion. This service will be held at the United Methodist Church.

Holy Saturday, April 21:

7 p. m. An Easter Cantata will be performed at the Locke Mills Union Church, to which the public is invited.

Easter Sunday, April 22:

5 a. m. The Locke Mills Union Church will celebrate the Resurrection at Mt. Abram Cemetery.

6 a. m. An Easter Sunrise Service will be held at the Albany Congregational Church, to which members of the Oxford County United Parish are invited. The service will be followed by a breakfast.

6:30 a. m. The Newry Community Church will hold a sunrise service at Mother Walker Falls, followed by a pot luck breakfast at Owen and Sue Wright's.

6:30 a. m. Local clergy will lead a sunrise service at the top of Barker Mountain. Those attending are urged to be at the lift at Sunday River Ski Area before 6 a. m. The Ski Lodge will serve breakfast at nominal prices at 7:00 and sponsor an Easter Egg Hunt for the children at 8:30 following the service.

In addition to these special services, there will be worship at the regular times at local churches on Easter morning.

ON BROTHERHOOD:

As Scoutmaster of Boy Scout Troop #565, of Bethel, Maine, I recently assigned one of the Scouts the task of writing a short essay on the subject of Brotherhood. My objective in this plan to call attention to the fraternal relationship that is the strength and support of a Scout Troop.

I received many good renderings, all of which were varied, but touched upon the prescribed subject matter in one form or another, however, it was the following that was turned in to me on one of several different sizes, shapes, and quality of papers received that I felt did what I had hoped for: in his own words I will share that which was offered by one of my newer Scouts, and I quote:

"In the dictionary the meaning of Brotherhood is: 'The quality of being brotherly; fellowship.' And then he continues to write, 'Brotherly is acting like being brothers. This relationship can be in a family, a club, a church, or other places where people work closely. If brotherhood means being close with others there should be caring for one another. This should make a person trustworthy, helpful, and dependable. In return you should expect to get the same qualities from your brother or brothers. Brotherhood does not only exist among boys and men, but also among girls and women. It also should take place among men and women and among Nations.'

"In an organization, brotherhood should unite people. If it does this for its members it should make the organization strong. Good brotherhood among Nations will make a better place to live."

By: Brian Hughes
Well, there you have it, one short essay, from a young Boy Scout who could very well be a part of the structuring force of our community and our country some time in the not too distant future.

Attest: Ray Harrington
Scoutmaster

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REPORT OF BETHEL COMMON
FUND COMMITTEE

The fund raising for the Fountain on the Bethel Common Fund continues to grow. Since the first contribution on March 30, the fund has reached a total of \$1,425, over one-half the goal according to Mary C. Keniston, treasurer of the Fountain on the Common Committee.

"Geet" Hall McNally from Hampden, wrote a note with her check—"I am so happy to read there is to be a replacement for our 'dear old fountain.' I miss it every time I go to Bethel". From Augusta, Margaret Herlick Oakes wrote to Mary, "Do you—are you old enough?—to recall when the old fountain was more than just a dribble? When the water pressure was good and high it would spurt out in a regular column of water and the drops of water would blow on the wind in a fine mist. I can't seem to picture the Common as it was the last time I saw it, but it was far from being the Common from my childhood. With best wishes for an adequate fountain fund."

Contributors since the last report are: Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker, American Legion, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown, Western Maine Supply Co., Mr. and Mrs. Dana

WOODSTOCK BOTTLE DRIVE

Woodstock Elementary School's fifth and sixth graders will be raising money for their Boston field trip by conducting a bottle drive now until April 27.

All donations will be greatly appreciated and any cans and bottles can be left at Kevin Mills', next to the Baptist Church on Lower Main Street, Bryant Pond; just follow the signs.

Any inquiries, call Joyce Howe at 665-2984 or Shari Burnham, 665-2074.

NEWS FROM TROOP 565

It was a busy meeting for Boy Scout Troop 565 on Wednesday, April 11. Work continued on the Environmental Sciences, Communication and Personal Fitness Merit Badges. A First Class Rank Board of Review was held for Brian Bachelder and Chris Hanscom for which they passed and were promoted.

Advancing to Tenderfoot was Brian Hughes, who also put forth a very strong effort this week and received his Skill Awards for Communications and Citizenship.

Others receiving Skill Awards were: Larry Anderson, Gideon Donnan, Eli Dreher, Chris Hanscom and Timmy Chapman. Jeff Boyle completed his work in Home Repairs and received his Merit Badge.

Rodney Hanscom outlined an upcoming hike and overnight camping trip on the Appalachian Trail for April 28 and 29.

Recruiting is still going strong; Brian Hughes received his patch for Inducting Gideon, and a new member brought in by Aaron Bean and Timmy Chapman is Mike Clark. Mike's induction ceremony will be Wednesday night, April 18.

Hosting the next meeting will be the Bear Patrol.

Also keep an eye out for the Scouts and their Tom Watt Sales Project. Proceeds from this go to the Troop's summer camp weeks.



MAKING WORDS COME ALIVE AT WOODSTOCK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL — Chris Howe, left, and Kelsey Cross, grade 2, Woodstock Elementary School, as Raggedy Andy and Raggedy Ann in a word carnival. At the carnival grade 1 was nouns, grade 2 was consonants and blends, grade 3, pronouns, grade 4, poems, grade 5, adjectives and grade 6, adverbs. All of this tied into carnival activities or characters.

How are clowns, ice cream and a parade going to be part of learning this spring? They will all be part of "Making Words Come Alive at WES". To make students more aware of the writing process,

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Relatives and friends of Christine Grover met in the West Bethel Union Church, April 12, 1984, in a memorial service for her love and dedication to the will of God in daily living.

Comforting organ music was given forth in this hour of prayer. An authorized practitioner and teacher of Christian Science, Mrs. Esperanza Ismen, of Brunswick, Maine, read from the Bible and from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, as well as her other writings.

The Reverend Norman Rust graciously hosted this service which was well-attended.

Douglass, Paul Carter, Judy Barker, Carolyn Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Eardon Paine, Martin Mendoza, Charlie's Place, Frances Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kiffredge, Dr. Leonard Shaw, Margaret Herlick Oakes, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hutchings, Patricia Bennett, Roy Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin S. Chapman, Coburn's Flower Shop, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moran, and The Bethel Inn and Country Club.

CELEBRATES 84th BIRTHDAY

Elsie Hinkley celebrated her 84th birthday, March 26, at the Bryant Pond Town Hall, with ice cream and cake, given by her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. She received a lot of nice gifts. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hinkley, Bobbie, Jonie, Heidi, April, Shawn, Jackie Kimball, Alisha, Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hart, Victor, Mr. and Mrs. Osman Hart, Sara, Jessie, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Palmer, Vincent, Stephen, Wanda, Scot, Violet Palmer and Lacey, Joe, Cindy, Kellie, Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sessions, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hill, Timmy, Warren Sessions Jr., Christie, Brett, Cindy, Mike, Bruce, Alisha, and the honored guest.

S.A.T. STUDY COURSE TO BE
OFFERED AT RUMFORD

The Rumford Learning Center is offering an "S.A.T." seminar entitled "Preparing for College Entrance Exams". The course is open to all area students who wish to ready themselves for upcoming exams.

The first session of the two-day seminar will be held on Sunday, April 29, from 6 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. During this session various hints toward S.A.T. success will be presented along with a thorough discussion of the verbal/English section of the nationwide test. Practice questions will be administered as a part of this class as well. The second session is scheduled for Monday, April 30, from 6 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. This portion of the seminar is devoted to the mathematics section of the S.A.T.

For information concerning cost and registration contact Richard Kent at The Rumford Learning Center, call 364-2993 between 6 p. m. and 9:30 p. m., or write 930 Prospect Avenue, Rumford. Arrangements may also be made by calling Andrea Warner at 364-3479.

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But most of all, having a decent house to come home to—a house on which they have worked together with friends and neighbors, a house which they are buying themselves—gives people new energy and dignity, new confidence and hope.

At the community Good Friday service, 7:30 at the Bethel United Methodist Church, the offering will

THE CRUCIFIXION

His burdens were heavy, his road rough and narrow
A path way steep and bare
Ending in suffering, death and rejection

Which to only a few caused despair.
Alone and mute, he faced his accusers
As all their false charges were heard

When asked for his side of the story
He uttered not hardly a word.
Not guilty was Pilate's decision
Your evidence against him is slim
But the crowd shouted louder and louder

These words, oh! crucify him!
A weak man was Pilate, and avoided
He could not dispense these men
Saying, I wash my hands of his blood, for he's innocent

He gave them the prisoner then.
To be scourged, insulted, spat on
Then without sign of remorse
They led him off to Golgotha
With Simon, to carry the cross.
With crown of thorns, and vinegar
They torment him as he hangs on the tree
Till he shouts, in desperation
Oh! Father why forsakest thou me?

It was custom to name o'er the victim
The crime that had won him such dues
O'er his head Pilate placed the inscription
This is Jesus "KING of the JEWS"

The death throes which passed through his body
Darkness to the world did bring
The earth shook to its very bowels
As it felt the loss of its King
HIS DEATH was foretold by the prophets
His suffering, was part of God's plan
Through death and resurrection
He offers salvation to man.

—Rodney H. Hanscom, Sr.



TOP TEN AT GOULD — Edna Isham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Isham, Albany Township, has been named as one of Gould's Top Ten Scholars of the senior class of 1984.

Edna has spent four years at Gould as a day student, during which time she participated on the varsity basketball, cross country, the Outing Club, and in two musicals "Godspell" and "West Side Story" produced by the Gould Drama Group.

In addition to being an honor roll student, Edna is a member of the Senior May Project Committee, Student Council and Blue Key, Gould's student service organization. She plans to attend college next year at either Russell Sage or Ithaca in New York State majoring in physical therapy upon completion of her studies at the Academy's 148th Commencement exercises on June 2.

"HABITAT" BUILDS HOUSES,
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"People who are economically poor need capital, not charity. They need co-workers, not case-workers. They need partners, people who love and respect them, and who will help free them from the burdens they bear." With these words, Millard Fuller summarizes the reason he and others founded Habitat for Humanity, Inc., the need he and others are answering.

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Evening Worship, 6 p. m.

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Phone: Church 836-2925
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Parish Day Wednesday
Mrs. Neta Littlefield, Organist
Mrs. Rodney Kimball, Custodian
Morning worship and Church School, 9:15 a. m.

Nursery provided for pre-school children.
Chapel Aid, second Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
836-2828
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Linda Stowell,
Pianist and Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m. Ages 3 through adult.
Morning worship, 10 a. m. Baby-sitting for children through age 5.

Tuesday: choir practice, 6 p. m.
Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p. m.
Thursday afternoon Ladies Bible Study, Babysitting available.

Those needing information or rides to church activities, please call Maureen at 824-2949.

Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. Michael Caldwell
Mrs. Richard Melville
Organist and Choir Director

Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Wednesday:
TOPS, 7 p. m.
Trustees—2nd Wed., 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Circle—3rd Wed., 1:30 p. m.

Thursday:
Choir, 6:30 p. m.
Youth Group, 7 p. m.
Bible Study, 8:15 p. m.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Thursday, April 19: Windy Valley Snowmobile Club, Club House, Newry, 7:30 p. m.

Friday, April 20: Mt. Abram Lodge, I.O.O.F., 7:30.
Monday, April 23: M.S.A.D. 44 Board of Directors, Telstar Library, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, April 24: Rotary Club, Sudbury Inn, 12 noon; Adult and Community Education Council, 1 p. m.

Wednesday, April 25: International Folk Dancing, Universalist Church, Bryant Pond, 8 p. m.

Thursday, April 26: Oxford Gem and Mineral Society, Moses Mason House, 7 p. m.

Friday, April 27, 7:30-11 p. m.: The Eleventh Hour Coffeehouse takes place at the First Universalist Church on Main St., Newry. Local talent is featured, including: the Oxford Hills High School Jazz Band; Bob Elliott, folk singer and guitarist; Charlotte LaBelle, storyteller; and Jackie Reifer, mime artist. Refreshments, including home-made pizza will be available. Donation at the door will benefit the Clergy and Laity Concerned.

Ginger Kelly of Crane Associates in Bethel is the volunteer coordinator for the Community Calendar and will accept items to be listed by mail, phone, 824-2114, or in person at her office in the Cole Block in Bethel.

go to Habitat for Humanity. If you would like to know more about this unique Christian ministry, call Brendon Bass, 824-2653.

DISTRICT MINISTER TO SPEAK
AT BRYANT POND UNITARIAN
UNIVERSALIST CHURCH APR. 22

On Easter Sunday, April 22, at 9 a. m. the Unitarian Universalist Church of Bryant Pond will have an Easter worship service led by Rev. Glenn Turner, the Northeast District Minister. This special service will be followed by coffee and refreshments. Brought-in goodies to share will be appreciated.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH

Palms were passed out at the Palm Sunday service. The palms were a gift from Lillian Mason, Coburn's Greenhouse.

Chapel Aid will meet at the church Wednesday, April 18, at 7:30 p. m.

There will be a combined church service on Maundy Thursday, April 19, at the Bethel Congregational Church. Supper at 6 p. m. followed by worship.

Good Friday Service at the United Methodist Church in Bethel at 7:30 p. m.

Easter Service at the West Bethel Church on Sunday, April 22, at 9:15 a. m.

Sunrise Service at 6 a. m. at Albany, April 22.

6:30 a. m. service at Barker Mountain. Breakfast after each service.

Bible study will resume next Sunday, at 6:30 p. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Pastor: Linwood Hanson
Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Sunday School.
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.

6:00 p. m. Lifeline for High Schoolers.
6:00 p. m. Evening Service.
Wednesday, Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

Thursday, Awana Clubs: 2:30-4:00 for K thru Gr. 2; 6:00-8:00 for Gr. 3 thru Gr. 8.

Unitarian-Universalist
Bryant Pond
Services first Sunday of every month. For complete list of guest speakers write to Emily Eckert, clerk, Unitarian Universalist Church, Bryant Pond, Me.

Newry Community Church
Newry, Maine
Rodney Hanscom, Pastor
Nancy Hanscom, Organist
Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00.
With special service for children.

First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Andover
Rev. E. Marjorie Churchill
Phone: Church 392-4678
Parsonage 392-3081

Organist and Choir Director,
Linda Burnham
Sunday School Supt.,
Paula P. Smith

Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Worship Service.
9:30 a. m. Church School.
Ladies Aid — Every other Monday at noon, C. E. B.

Calvary Congregational Church
Route 5
Andover, Maine
Pastor: Donald Grover
Pianist: Mrs. Edna White
Choir Director: Carol Stuart
Sunday School Superintendent:
Marjorie Stinson

Worship Service, 10:45.
Sunday School, 9:30.
Youth Group, 5:30.
Prayer and Praise, Wednesday at 7:30 at the church.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday at 8:30.

St. Barnaba's Episcopal Church
116 Penobscot St.
Rumford, Maine
Sundays, 9:30 a. m., "The Holy Eucharist."

Other services as announced.
The Rev. Jacqueline R. Merrill,
364-2193, 824-3169.

Rumford Area Bible Speaks
Pastor Bob Colby
At Faith Bible Church, Route 232,
Rumford Corner:
10 a. m. Sunday School and Worship Service.

6 p. m. Sunday Youth Group.
7 p. m. Sunday Evening Service.
7 p. m. Wednesday Evening Service.

At 524 Prospect Ave., Rumford:
8 a. m. Mon.-Fri. Prayer and Devotional.

At Bethel—Women's Bible Study:
10 a. m. Eleanor Brooks' Home.

Bolster's Mills
United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor
Family Worship, 10:00 a. m.
Church School, 10:00 a. m.

South Waterford
United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor
Family Worship, 9:30 a. m.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the book is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, April 22: Subject: Probation After Death, Golden Text—Romans 8:11. "If the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwelleth in you."

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m. and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years.

The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Newry, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p. m. includes testimonies of healing.

OXFORD COUNTY
UNITED PARISH
Rev. Nancy Taylor
East Stoneham
Congregational Church
9:00 a. m. Worship Service.
North Waterford
Congregational Church
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.

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FOR SALE - Electric Golf Cart. One (1) passenger, new battery, carries two golf bags or your week's groceries. \$300 takes it. Includes charger. Robert Crane, 824-2208.

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FOR SALE - Cedar posts, any length. 824-2866. 16-17

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FIREWOOD FOR SALE - Shabwood \$50 a cord. Contact Hanover Dowel Co. 7 a.m. - 4 p.m. 824-2191. 16-17

1967 Firebird, 326 ci., 8 cyl., new paint, mag wheels, real sharp. \$2,300. Call after 6 p.m. Mark Kendall, 824-2923. 16-17

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FOR SALE - 1967 Ford Fairlane. excellent condition, \$1,000; 1976 750 CF Suzuki, excellent condition, \$700. 824-2717. 15-16

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1982 Chevy Camaro Z-28, loaded.

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1982 Datsun 4x4, P/S, 32K, Fisher plow, and cap.

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The next refresher course is April 29 at the S.A.D. Bus Garage. One session is at 2 o'clock and the other session is at 6 o'clock. Attend one of these sessions. The lesson is Module 11, Fractures and Dislocations, and Module 14 which is Eye and Head Injuries. The lessons are at the S.A.D. 44 Bus Garage if you have not picked them up.

The monthly meeting was held on Sunday, April 15, at the S.A.D. 44 Bus Garage.

Training for those who are getting ready for the State test will be on Monday night, April 30; Monday night, May 7; Thursday night, May 10, and Monday night, May 14, at 7 o'clock at the S.A.D. 44 Bus Garage.

Safety Tip

If you get the flu bug go to bed and get plenty of rest and drink lots of liquids.

If there is a lot of diarrhea and/or vomiting you may need to see a doctor.

(There are some products on the market for diarrhea. Consult your local pharmacy.)

Elderly people can become dehydrated very quickly.

For Sale

FOR SALE - Wood stoves, will last for 18 hours. 836-3929. 15-16

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Real Estate

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12 Acre Northwest Bethel Farm - 3 or 4 bedrooms, large kitchen, family room, front parlor, wood heat, 2-car garage, 36 x 40 barn, \$37,500. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-3076. 11-17

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Mason Street, Bethel - 3 or 4 bedroom home, kitchen, dining area, family room, livingroom, full bath, attached 2-car garage, front and rear porches, oil or wood heat, town water and sewage, convenient to stores, schools and other town facilities. \$41,000. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-3076. 11-17

Help Wanted

MARTHA'S RESTAURANT - WANTED, short order cook, duties include kitchen help. Telephone 824-2093 or 824-2171 for interview. 16-17

WE NEED HELP - Cleaning Up - both inside and outside. Call S. Crane, 824-2208. 16-17

BRIDGE PARTY BENEFIT FOR

"FOUNTAIN ON THE COMMON"

There will be a Contract Bridge party for the benefit of the "Fountain on the Common" at the American Legion Hall, Vernon Street, at 7:30 p.m., Sunday, May 6.

Come in singles or pairs and "expertise" not a requirement! Prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served. Any one not able to attend but interested in seeing the beauty of the fountain restored may send donations to Norma Jodrey, chairman of the Fountain Committee, Bethel, Maine 04217.

The monthly meeting was held on Sunday, April 15, at the S.A.D. 44 Bus Garage.

SENIOR CITIZEN SPRING TRIP

JUNE 4-5-6

The bus will leave the Bulldog Diner, Bethel, at 8 a.m., June 4. Pick up in Locke Mills, Bryant Pond, and Cornwall Shopping Plaza South Paris. There will be a lunch stop along the way. The tour will include Salem Witch Museum, Pickering Wharf, Salem Maritime National Historical Site, the House of Seven Gables, Hawthorne's birthplace, J.F.K. Memorial Library, New England Aquarium, Quincy Market, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum and Peabody Museum.

The group will be staying at "Cath Penny Chalet", Danvers, Mass. Please sign up as soon as possible. For further information contact: Joan Coolidge, 824-2575.

Wanted

WANTED - Used crib in good condition. Call Gina Douglass, 824-3351. 16p

WANTED TO BUY - Old Stocks & Bonds - coins - military items - railroad items - tools - antiques & most collectible items: Brian Harvey, Box 890, Burgess Hill, Rumford, 364-7047. 15-17

ROOMMATES WANTED - In Locke Mills. 824-3282. 15-16

BUYING ANTIQUES - Furniture, paintings, glass, clocks, pottery, baskets, hooked rugs, quilts, stamps, bann and attic accumulations, etc. Please call Marcel Polak, Spruce Mountain Antiques, 865-2577. 14-16p

WANTED - Old Oriental Rugs. Any size or condition. 1-800-472-8998. 13-16p

WANTED TO BUY - Scrap metal. Home evenings and week ends. RAYMOND CHAPMAN, 836-2585. 39-17

PCD Business Service, complete bookkeeping service, state and federal tax reports. Patricia Dooen, Bethel, 824-2400. 20-17

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Business Opportunities

SATELLITE ANTENNA dealerships available. No experience required. Dealer cost for complete unit as low as \$399. Retail \$1,395. CALL DAY OR NIGHT, 303-574-4983. 15-16p

For Rent

Two 1 bedroom apartments available, \$65 a week, includes utilities, on Bethel Common. Call 824-2657. 16p

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2 bedroom apartment. Living room, kitchen, refrigerator, and heat included. \$275.00 monthly. Crane Real Estate, 824-2114. 14-17

Lost

Gold & Lady's Timex Watch. Small reward. S. Crane, 824-2208. 16-17

Miscellaneous

DOORS - Have your faded, scratched or paint-crusted doors and shutters stripped to the bare wood - ready to repaint or finish as you desire. Leave the bother to us. The Village Furniture Stripper, 5 Porter Street, South Paris, 743-9388. 15-16

Al-Anon, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Telstar Regional High School. 28-17

AA meets Wednesday, 8 p.m. at Telstar Regional High School. 21-17

EARS PIERCED - \$7.50, Saturday, 3 to 5. See Chuck, Prim's Pharmacy, Main St., Bethel. 45-17

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Publisher's Notice

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This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertisement for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis.



ANN HASTINGS MORTON has just been selected to participate in the U. S. Department of Education's 1984 Fulbright Seminar on Ancient and Modern Israel this summer.

The seminar is jointly sponsored by the U. S. Dept. of Education and the Israel Ministry of Education and Culture. It will be a six-week seminar from June 23 to August 3.

Twenty participants, 10 women and 10 men, have been selected from the United States.

The group will spend four weeks in Jerusalem receiving intensive training in the Hebrew language and having about 100 hours of lectures by leading university professors. Two weeks will be spent traveling throughout Israel to such areas as Masada, Beilinson, Golan Heights, the Dead Sea, Tel Aviv. Time will be spent at Kibbutzim and with Bedouin tribes.

As part of the grant, she may include a week's stay in Athens after the seminar is completed.

Mrs. Morton, the daughter of Robert and Florence Hastings of

SOIL SURVEYS UNDERWAY SOON IN AREA TOWNS

Roger Smedberg, Chairman of the Oxford County Soil & Water Conservation District, reports the District has set priorities for soil mapping for 1984. Soil Scientists of the Soil Conservation Service in South Paris will survey the Towns of Sweden, Stow, Newry, Hanover, Greenwood and Sumner.

The soil survey is part of the Soil Conservation Service effort to have all the land in the organized Towns of Oxford County mapped by 1987. The Town of Sweden should be completed by the end of May and the remaining towns completed by the beginning of October.

The Soil Scientists using spades and augers will walk over the land, digging small holes to determine the type of soil. They will look at such soil features as drainage, texture, depth to bedrock and steepness of slope. After determining the soil type, its boundaries are drawn on an aerial photograph.

Once the maps are reviewed and reproduced they will be available to the public. Individuals, such as woodlot owners and farmers and groups including planning boards and conservation commissions, use soils information when making land use decisions.

Currently, about 70% of the organized towns in Oxford County are mapped. Soils information is available at the Soil Conservation Service Office, 1 Main Street in South Paris.

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BETHEL TOWN OFFICE

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sition period tax bills must be sent to the party who held title on April 1, 1983. The reason for this is that the Maine Bureau of Taxation considers our transition period as the last portion of an 18-month 1983 tax period since the April 1, 1983 valuation was used to calculate transition period tax bills. For those who sold property after that date, the question might arise as to who should pay the bill since the new owner holds title. Technically, the April 1, 1983 owner is responsible for the bill, but morally the new owner is obligated to pay just as he or she did at the property closing when taxes were paid from the date of new ownership. To assist in this matter, copies of the tax bill will be sent to new owners who took possession after April 1, 1983. The Town Office staff will be working with all parties to minimize the effects. Your cooperation and understanding will be appreciated.

Selectmen's Meeting

The Board of Selectmen met in regular session Monday evening, May 16, in the Town Office Meeting Room.

Alva Morrison addressed the Board on low-level nuclear waste disposal plans originally proposed by a state legislative committee for a site near Jordan Brook in Riley Plantation. He reported that the area group, Headwaters Alliance of the Sunday River Valley, is organizing support for a statewide referendum issue proposed by the Maine Nuclear Referendum Committee to permit voters

to approve or disapprove nuclear waste sites proposed by the government. The Board thanked Mr. Morrison for the updated information on the issue.

The Board discussed the need to locate a local source to store and dispense lead-free gasoline once the Town accepts delivery of the new police cruiser. Facilities at the Town Garage do not exist for lead-free gasoline and the Manager was authorized to solicit bids from local gasoline retailers to supply lead-free gasoline for the police cruiser following its delivery late in the spring.

The Board interviewed candidates for boards and committees. Appointments will be made to the Appeals Board, Budget Committee, Airport Development Committee, Planning Board, Recreation Board, Community Safety & Law Enforcement Committee, Municipal Facilities Committee, and Radio Coordination Committee later this month. Eight volunteers were interviewed and the Selectmen expressed appreciation for the many volunteers who have come forward willing to assist in our community activities.

The Board of Selectmen will meet in a budget workshop session on Tuesday at 7 p.m., April 24, in the Town Office Meeting Room.

BARTLETT ON DEAN LACROSSE TEAM

Head Coach Steve Scholier has named Jeff Bartlett to the Dean Junior College varsity lacrosse team. Jeff is a 1982 graduate of Gould Academy in Bethel, and is the son of Keith and Suzanne Bartlett of Bethel. Dean opened the season with a 16-2 win over Clark University. Dean plays other teams such as B.U., U.R.I., U. Conn., Bridgewater State and University of Massachusetts.

East Bethel, graduated from Gould Academy in 1956 and the University of Maine. She currently resides in Hanover and teaches world history and science at Rumford Junior High School. Her husband, David, teaches at Rumford High School where son Paul is a freshman. Daughter Pam attends the University of Colorado at Boulder, and son, Tom, is a student at University of Maine, Orono.

Mrs. Morton plans to take many slides and keep an extensive diary of her experiences. These will be the basis of future outreach programs for community and school groups.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION Notice of Application Filed with the Commission (March 20, 1984)

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and is available for public inspection:

a. Type of Application: Preliminary Permit.
b. Project No.: 8123-000
c. Date Filed: February 22, 1984
d. Applicant: Paris Hydro Associates.

e. Name of Project: Billings River, Little Androscoggin River, Town of South Paris, Oxford County, Maine.
f. Location: Little Androscoggin River, Town of South Paris, Oxford County, Maine.

g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. §791 (a)-(825(c)).
h. Contact Person: Mr. David M. Coombe, Synergics, Inc., 410 Severn Avenue, Suite 409, Annapolis, Maryland 21403.

i. Comment Date: May 21, 1984.
j. Description of Project: The proposed project would consist of: (1) an existing 150-foot-long, 12-foot-high masonry dam with a concrete cap; (2) an existing 11-acre reservoir with a normal maximum water surface elevation of 343.0 feet M.S.L. with no usable storage capacity; (3) a new powerhouse located at the east dam abutment containing turbine-generators with a total rated capacity of 170 KW; (4) a 50-foot-long, 12.5-KV transmission line; and (5) appurtenant facilities. The project would generate up to 850,000 kWh annually. The dam is owned by the Town of South Paris, Maine.

k. Purpose of Project: Energy produced at the project would be sold to Central Maine Power Company.

l. This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs: A5, A7, A9, B, C, and D2.

m. Proposed Scope and Cost of Studies under Permit: A preliminary permit does not authorize construction. A permit, if issued, gives the Permittee, during the term of the permit, the right of priority of application for license. Applicant seeks issuance of a preliminary permit for a period of 18 months, during which time it would perform surveys and geologic investigations, determine the economic feasibility of the project, reach final agreement on sale of project power, secure financing commitments, consult with Federal, State and local government agencies concerning the potential environmental effects of the project, and prepare an application for an FERC license, including an environmental report. Applicant estimates the cost of the work under the permit would be \$36,000.

A5. Preliminary Permit: Existing Dam or Natural Water Feature Project—Anyone desiring to file a competing application for preliminary permit for a proposed project at an existing dam or natural water feature project, must submit the competing application to the Commission on or before 80 days after the specified comment date for the particular application (see 18 CFR 4.30 to 4.33 (1982)). A notice of intent to file a competing application for preliminary permit will not be accepted for filing.

A competing preliminary permit application must conform with 18 CFR 4.33(a) and (d).

A7. Preliminary Permit—Except as provided in the following paragraph, and qualified license, conduit exemption, or small hydroelectric exemption applicant desiring to file a competing application must submit to the Commission, on or before the specified comment date for the particular application, either a competing license, conduit exemption, or small hydroelectric exemption application or a notice of intent to file such an application. Submission of a timely notice of intent to file a license, conduit exemption, or small hydroelectric exemption application allows an interested person to file the competing application no later than 120 days after the specified comment date for the particular application.

In addition, any qualified license or conduit exemption applicant desiring to file a competing application may file the subject application until: (1) a preliminary permit with which the subject license or conduit exemption application would compete is issued, or (2) the earliest specified comment date for any license, conduit exemption, or small hydroelectric exemption application with which the subject license or conduit exemption application would compete; whichever occurs first.

A9. Notice of Intent—A notice of intent must specify the exact name, business address, and telephone number of the prospective applicant, include an unequivocal statement of intent to submit if such an application may be filed, either (1) a preliminary permit application or (2) a license, small hydroelectric exemption, or conduit exemption application, and be served on the applicant(s) named in this public notice.

B. Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a

South Woodstock — Olive Davis, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Bennett were week end visitors of their grand-children, Mr. and Mrs. Taisto Koskela.

The Thursday rainstorm washed the roads in town so the road crew have been working furiously to repair the damage. Many places were flooded but the water went down fast.

Jerrold Mason has a new building built for his carrier pigeons that are being hatched now.

Mrs. James Mason took her sister, Virginia, to Lewiston where she had surgery on her knee which she injured in a fall this winter. She is home and would enjoy cards while confined more or less to a chair. Let us surprise her.

Some of the Johnson family have been at their school house home recently.

I guess the sap season has ended for this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews took dinner with Olive Davis, Saturday.

Richard Felt attended Wilson Grange Saturday evening. He and Dot Campbell were on the program entertaining with their music.

This has been one busy week. Monday night was Franklin Grange night, Tuesday, Pomona Grange at Alder River, East Bethel. Wednesday a dentist ap-

pointment. Thursday, at West Paris Grange. Thursday morning the Franklin Grange put on Senior Citizens dinner and Friday night, Hee Haw Show at South Paris.

Esther Davis and Olive attended the Hee Haw Show at Norway Friday evening.

Esther Davis and Patsy Tibbetts attended the 'King and I' at South Paris Sunday afternoon.

Walter Koskela returned from the hospital last Thursday. He had had a heart attack but is improving.

Curtis Dustin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thurlow recently.

Esther Davis spent Sunday and Monday with her daughter, Patricia Tibbetts and family.

Several have been enjoying colds and the flu again. I thought it had gone away for this year, but it hates to release its grip on folks. A little more sunshine would help. The birds are coming back from the south so winter must be over. A big flock of robins and juncos have arrived. I had a sea-side sparrow on my feed tray and Redwing blackbirds feeding there also. What have you had?

North East Lovell —
— Pauline Smith, Corres. —

Nona Morton visited at Iva Fox's and Fred's Wednesday night. LeRoy and Pauline Smith had supper there.

Susan and Stephen Fox had a birthday supper and party for their daughter, Crisley, Tuesday night. Iva and Fred Fox, Albert and Mary, children, Cindy and children, Larry Fox and wife called. Mrs. Ernest Billings (Grammie of Crisley) and Linda, an aunt from Rumford.

Around 40 were out to Senior Citizens pot luck dinner and auction. Nice music from two men of Auburn, accordion and guitar, old fashion pieces, very entertaining it was.

Iva Fox and Linda Allen were in Norway, Thursday.

Pauline and Roy Smith visited their daughter, Carolyn Knights in Oxford Monday, also Marion Kendall at the Health Care Facility, South Paris.

Rose Mary Smith, son Josh, called on Iva and Fred Fox Saturday.

Flora Allen took Hazel shopping in Norway, Thursday.

Iva Fox, Linda Allen, Scottie, took in the circus in Lewiston Friday morning. Said it was real good.

The frogs are peeping, April 15. Tress Gallie of West Lovell, the Ohub place, visited at Pauline Smith's, Friday.

Jack and Beverly Bassett had dinner Saturday night with her folks.

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East Stoneham — Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —

Mrs. Arlene Merrill worked for Sarah Grover Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Gordon of Fryeburg visited his son Kennie and wife, Monday.

Hilton McAllister came home from the hospital Monday. All of his neighbors hope he gains fast and will be out again soon.

Stanwood and Grace Nelson have a new car.

Mrs. Mary Grover had a house-ware party at her home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson visited friends in Kennebunk Thursday.

Several from here attended the supper and Fellowship meeting at North Waterford Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kiessman of Denmark, visited the Stanwood Nelsons Friday.

Bill Walker of Lovell and helper are doing some work for Stanwood Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennie Gordon visited her brother, Paul Files, at South Paris Saturday evening. She took a pretty birthday cake to him.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nelson went to Pennsylvania to visit some friends over the week end. Mrs. Eleanor Nelson took care of the two boys.

Mrs. Ethel Files enjoyed her 83rd birthday quietly at her home. She had many cards and gifts. Also two birthday cakes made by her two daughters.

Mrs. Sarah had friends join her for dinner one day last week. They were from Westbrook.

I have some lovely red winged birds coming to the feeders every day.

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The S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program will sponsor a Contra Dance on Friday evening, April 27, at the West Bethel Grange Hall on Route 2, starting at 8 o'clock. Music for the dance will be provided by Alma Morrison and the band Uncontrolled Release. All dances will be taught and will include a variety of old time favorites, such as line dances, polkas, waltzes, reels, squares and foxtrots. This is an activity for people of all ages, and it is not necessary to come with a partner. Refreshments will be sold and admission will be charged.

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T.T.A.E.R.S. News (Tri-Town Ambulance & Emergency Rescue Service)

Training meeting is scheduled for Wednesday evening, April 25. Ken Bacon is in charge of the meeting on pediatric emergencies. He recently attended a workshop on the subject and will be sharing the information to the rest of the Tri-Town members.

The every member canvass is continuing this week and next week. Remember to give generously. Also Tri-Town is collecting useful household items for an auction to be held in May at the Locke Mills Town Hall. Canvassers will be glad to collect any articles you would like to donate.

Safety Tip of the Week:
The second in a series of responses to being the first on the scene of a car accident. It is very important to call in to the Sheriff's Dept. accurate information on the accident as quickly as possible. Any accident involving more than \$300.00 damage is required to report the accident to the authorities. Be sure when calling the Sheriff to state how many might be injured, how serious, and a good description of the location. They will dispatch the ambulance if it is needed. They will also get a police officer to the scene as quickly as possible. Please be patient. It may seem like a long time before help arrives, but it is important not to take the person in your own car to the hospital. By moving the patient improperly more injury can be caused.

NOTICE
Please take notice that Franklin Hammington, Roberts Poultry Farm, Star Route, Bethel, Maine 04217, is filing an application for a septic tank and cesspool waste disposal site with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to the Provisions of Title 38, MRSA §§ 1304(8) and 1805(6) to: Develop a land spreading site for the disposal of septic tank sludge from Newry, Hanover, and on an emergency basis, from Bethel; in the town of Bethel.

The application will be filed for public inspection at the Department's Office in Augusta and at the municipal office on April 19, 1984.

Written comments from any interested person must be sent to the Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Land Quality Control, within 14 days of filing of the application to receive consideration.

Requests for a public hearing must also be sent to the D.E.P. Land Bureau within 14 days of filing of the application. Requests for a hearing will be evaluated based on the information contained in the request.

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West Paris — Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

Mrs. Frances Millett, John Lyons, Mrs. Maude Millett, Lewis-ton, Mrs. Lulu Buck called on Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase on Saturday.

Mrs. Avis Ellingwood is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Linda Chase, Ricky and Chad, went to the Shrine Circus on Saturday.

Mrs. Jean McAllister has returned home from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Millett, Stacy and Brian, Quincy, Mass., visited his grandmother, Mrs. Lulu Buck on Sunday.

Mrs. Louvie Coffin and Mrs. Lyndell Farr attended the retired teachers meeting in Mexico on Saturday.

The week of April 22 is the free overdue week at West Paris Library. It is also the "Book Crying" Week. Are there any library books in your home crying, "take me home to the library, I am homesick and overdue?" The library drawer is full of cards representing overdue books going back to 1974. Please check your home and bring those books back. Check for your children's books. Let's get them all back into circulation.

Easter Sunrise Service for the Universalist Church will be held at 6 a. m. at the Ray Brown's home on High Street, followed by Easter breakfast at Goodwill Hall. Easter Church Service will be 9:30 a. m. There will be no church school this Sunday.

Winners in the Easter Egg Hunt sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary at the fire department were pre-school and kindergarten: 1st prize, Chester Beauchene; 2nd, Nicole Teareault; special egg, Jason Braderon. 1-2-3 grades: 1st prize, Dougie Penley; 2nd, Warren Emery; special egg, Dougie Penley. 4-5-6 grades: 1st prize, Eddie Akers; 2nd, Stephanie Paten; special egg, Eddie Akers.

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Bryant Pond

— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scofield with daughter, Susan Sargent, and grandson, Christopher Johnson, have returned home from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith and family in Newark, Del. While there they spent a day in Washington to see the cherry blossoms and have a quick visit to granddaughter, Debbie Smith. They also toured historic Newcastle, Del., and points of interest in the Amish colony, the Pennsylvania Dutch.

Friday, the Baptist Church has been asked to join with the Bethel Gospel Center at 7 p. m. for a Good Friday Service, Sunday at 6:30, Easter Sunrise Service at Pleasant Valley Church, West Bethel, Sunday at 9:15 Sunday School and 10:30 a. m. morning service at Bryant Pond Baptist Church. All welcome, Sunday evening at 6 p. m., music service and a slide-tape play, "The Faithful Witness."

Congratulations to the Awana Clubbers and Coaches! The Chums and Pioneers each took first place, and brought home beautiful trophies. The Pals won 2nd place, and the Guards 3rd. This was at the Awana Olympics in Waterville, on Saturday.

The Ladies Group meets each Wednesday at 10 at the home of the Floyd Kenistons. All welcome.

There was a family gathering at the home of Mrs. Elsie Bryant Monday evening in honor of the return of Alison Foster and children, Josh and Abby, from Meriden, Conn. Other great grandchildren were Jessica Cantelo, Portland; Kelsey Cross; and Tony, Cory, Debbie and Ernie Childs, Rumford; grandmother, Louise Loring, Bryant Pond. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cross met Mrs. Foster at Logan Airport, Boston, Sunday. Mrs. Foster is awaiting the arrival of Sonny Foster to his home area within the next six weeks.

Cory Childs went to the circus with Debbie and Jessica Cantelo Tuesday at Portland Civic Center.

Franklin Grange met on Monday evening, April 16, with 25 people present for Open House. The program was as follows: Song, "Welcome"; Tableau of Faith, Hope, Charity and Fidelity; Tableau of Cross, Bible and Flowers with song, "Old Rugged Cross". The Good Citizen Award was presented to Rev. Linwood Hanson. Richard and Felt read a poem written by Olive Davis. Different Committees told of things they do in Grange: Youth, Robert Hoyt; CWA, Alice Hoyt; Jr. Grange, Jennifer Felt; Legislature, Richard Felt; Music by Carl Brooks, Richard Felt and Dot Canwell. Verna Swan, a reading, "Warning About Foods"; Bob Hoyt, a reading about The Grange Banner Olive made. Songs, Harry Boyer. Poem by Olive Davis (she wrote it). Dot Canwell whistled and played the piano. Skit by Harris Hatbaway, Carl and Lettie Brooks. Quiz by Olive Davis. Closing Thought, Closing song, "God Bless America."

Linwood Ring is a surgical patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital. Last week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ring were Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Glines, Danbury, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring, Freeport. Saturday visitors were Alan Ring and friend.

Fred Cole is a surgical patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Beatrice Farnum's grandson and wife, Richard and Mindy Chase, are home on leave for a month from Germany.

The Daughters of Union Veterans will hold their food sale and flea market on Wednesday, May 2 starting at 11 a. m. at the Grange Hall. Any person or group wishing a table may purchase one.

Following is the address of Herschel Abbott who was injured seriously when struck by a car: Cooley-Dickinson Hospital, Northampton, Mass. 01060.

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Greenwood City

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

Down a road especially a rural one, is the place where often the best of both man's and nature's world can be observed. This road, the woods, and side hills have taken me through winter and into spring.

Now, down where the wet meadows meet the woods the gurgling, liquid notes of the Redwinged black birds, beginning with the KONK like an object being dropped into the water is a typical voice of spring. The singers toss their note back and forth.

A few ducks are back and we have watched them leap, dripping from the water to circle over the pond a few times then settle back into the water again.

High in a tree as I walked was the song of the song sparrow. To my ears it was like the tinkling of a silver tambourine.

Spring! Who that has been through a Maine winter can ever forget the balm of the coming days of spring.

I saw a lone grackle and heard it rasp out the beginning of a courtship song, that will soon sound from a hundred or more avian throats (too many) the eternal song(?) of spring.

One day walking up the Spring

Newry

— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. —

The subject of Pastor Hanscom's sermon Sunday was The Wages of Sin. Communion Service was held with Olive and Jim Anderson assisting. Martha Moxey read the Scripture from St. Luke 19: 28-40. Olive Anderson led the Children's Service, Sunrise Services will be held at Mother Walker Falls, Grafton Notch, Easter Sunday at 6:30 a. m., followed by a pot luck Easter breakfast at the home of Owen and Sue Wright. Easter Services will be held at the Church at 9 a. m. Baptismal Services will be held at this time. Anyone having a child they wish to have baptized, or any adult wishing to be baptized may contact Pastor Hanscom.

The Annual Business Meeting of the Union Religious Society of the Newry Community Church will be held at the Church April 30 at 7 p. m.

The West Bethel Union Church has been invited to join the Newry Community Church April 29, at 9 a. m. Rev. Norman Rust of the West Bethel Church will have the message.

Roger Hanscom returned home Friday from the Rumford Community Hospital, where he had been a patient since Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover returned to their home in Hollis Sunday after spending a week at the Hanscom home.

The following ladies went bowling in Rumford April 11: Olive Anderson, Ann Withers, June Swan, Karlene Bachelder, Eleanor Morton, Betsy Clark, Gilberte Seeley and Rena Powers. Karlene was high scorer.

Many thanks to the Mothers Club.

Rae and Tom Bartholomew are being honored at a 40th wedding anniversary party on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Bear River Grange Hall. All their friends and neighbors are invited to attend.

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club will have a pot luck supper meeting at the Club Room in North Newry at 6:30 Thursday evening, April 19—please bring cutlery and plates. On Saturday, April 21, the Club will have their annual Clean Up of Route 26 from Bear River through Grafton Notch, and the Sunday River Road. Anyone who has bottles, paper, or cans to donate either leave at the road-



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Road then to the ledges, I was assailed by crow voices floating over the tree tops and down the valley. They seemed to shout "Winter is ending, hard times are done!"

"Approaching the ridge I could see but one. He saw me too, for a crow misses nothing. Somehow he knew that I had no gun so stretched his posture like a rooster with beak wide and throat fluffed and gave his lusty call that rang across the mountain side. But wisdom prevailed over arrogance and he dropped from his high perch and sailed away through the trees, braying his defiance. The crow is certainly as good a survivor; so many things the difficult world has to hand him. John Burroughs once said of him, 'Hardy happy outlaw, the crow, how I love him.'"

At the road I recognized the jumps and wandering lines. Moles! My lawn is covered with these mole tunnels. They do not hibernate, I have read, but pursue their wormy prey deep into the innards of the earth, retreating with them when frost arrives. At times the mole has to back up, as well as go ahead. In order to accomplish this its fur has no definite "lay" to it. It may be brushed forward as well as backward. This allows it to change gears in "mid-dig". The mole hill is the result of the excavations of a female building a nest chamber.

Spring means different things to different people. Some look forward to the first robin. Others, sap buckets hanging from rock maples or the chorus of peepers from bogs and ponds. Here in New England there is no predictable pattern to the coming of spring. It can come one step forward and two steps back, a series of soft days, then a backlash of winter with a severe storm. It always

side for collection, or call Bill at 824-2262 or Sylvia at 824-2220.

If anyone has flowers, Easter lilies or plants they would care to bring to church Easter morning it would be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Swan attended the annual Maine Snowmobile Association meeting dinner and dance at Bangor Civic Center last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wright, Old Town; Mr. and Mrs. David Wright, Dover-Foxcroft, joined them for the banquet and dance.

reminds me of the poem "Two Tramps in Mud Time" by Robert Frost.

The sun was warm but the wind was chill.
You know how it is with an April day
When the sun is out and wind is still.
You're one month on in the middle of May.
But if you so much as dare to speak,
A cloud comes over the sunlit anch.
A wind comes off a frozen peak,
And you're two months back in the middle of March.

This contrariness of our Maine spring gives spice to its unfolding. It is birthing time, too, for gray squirrels are born naked, toothless, and blind and won't leave their nest for six weeks. Muskrats are April babies but won't be foraging until the last of May.

Then there are deer, raccoons and skunks that are born. They know this world should be full of young life with the summer ahead in which to enjoy themselves.

Callers at the home of Frank and Dot Curtis were: Irene Stevens, Eva Felton, Kathy Curtis, Local; Mildred Bowman, Hebron; Alton Kimball, Waterford.

Doris Hayes and I met with other retired teachers at Louvie Coffin's home in West Paris on Thursday. On Saturday we attended the Retired Teachers meeting in Mexico.

Ardell and Betty Hayes, Auburn had dinner with Doris Hayes on Sunday.

Fred and Rena Curtis had as visitors Mr. and Mrs. Walter Curtis and son, Patrick, Farmington; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Curtis and children, Duane Alexander, Buckfield, Dorothy Curtis, Eva Felton, Local.

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North Paris

— Eveline B. Vatcher, Corres. —

A week of lovely spring weather and the road crew worked five full days. I'll bet they were glad. They sure can change the scenery. The culverts are being put in on the Herbert Ryerson, Earl Cordwell, and Rhoda Vatcher property.

Eveline Vatcher had a doctor's appointment Monday and Thursday P. M. she went to the Stephens Memorial Hospital for chest x-rays and lab tests. The new medication has helped the wheezing a bit, but it hates to go away entirely.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher went to Danvers, Mass., on Tuesday to see Joe mothers on her 93rd birthday. We took her sister, Mrs. Flora Gogal, 95, of Saugus, Mass., with us and Joe's sister, Fannie Whitten and son, Ralph, joined us for a party. The head nurse on Mrs. Vatcher's floor brought a small birthday square cake with one candle and Mrs. Vatcher blew the candle out. She had her special dessert of Joe's raspberries which she loves. On their way home it snowed from Gray to South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Abbott went to Lewiston on Wednesday afternoon where Harlan had a doctor's appointment about his bad leg. Harlan may go to a Boston hospital for further treatment.

We have had several cleaning "bees" at the hall in preparation for our supper April 21. The floor will be sanded and fixed up after the supper as the weather is warming up a bit more each day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reidy spent the long holiday week end at their trailer on the Trask Road. Ellis

Ellingwood and Clyde Knights did some work for them. They visited Vatcher's Sat. P. M.

Robert Anderson Jr. of Woburn, Mass., came late Friday night to spend the week end with his Uncle Joe and Aunt Eveline Vatcher. When he got to the former North Paris Store he said to himself "this doesn't look right so I'll go back a bit and start over." He knew it was the second house beyond the Rt. 219 Garage but the yard has a lot of stakes but no wire for a fence so he eventually found it and was surprised at the change of scenery. He returned to his home Sunday P. M.

Callers at Lawrences: Linda Records, Roland Lord, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher, Jeanne Millett and son, Stevie.

Students are on their Easter vacation this week. Hope it is a fun time.

Mr. and Mrs. "Root" Lawrence had an early Easter dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher and their nephew, Robert Anderson, Jr. After dinner Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott and Mrs. Alice Goff of Rumford came for the afternoon.

This rainy Monday morning the road crew is working trying to make us look better or worse. Soon it will be easier for us to go through Stearns Hill and Pleasant Valley to go to town but we need to go over the road occasionally to check and see if they are doing it right.

Mrs. Rhoda Vatcher went to Saugus, Mass., as her daughter-in-law is ill.

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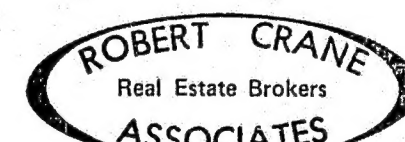
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CHARLES M. ANDREWS

Charles M. Andrews, 90, formerly of Locke Mills, died Monday night, April 16, 1984, at the Lions Hospital in Gillette, N. J.

He was born in Milton Plantation, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Andrews. He was a veteran of World War I and a life member and past commander of Jackson-Silver Post, American Legion. He had worked at the Mann Mill in Bryant Pond and had worked for 35 years at Ekco-Wood Products.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock at the Greenleaf funeral home, Bethel. Friends may call at the funeral home on Friday from 7 to 9 p. m.

WILLIAM H. McDOUGALL

William H. McDougall of Andover, died late Wednesday evening, April 11, 1984, at the Clover Manor Hospice, Auburn, following a lingering illness.

He was born in Wellesley, Mass., June 18, 1929, the son of Gabriel and Bertha Cook McDougall, and attended schools there. He moved to the Andover area in 1952 and was married to Laurel Arnold on June 16, 1956. She died in 1979. Mr. McDougall was employed as an upholsterer in Norway-South Paris for a short time before being employed in the sawmill of Andover Wood Products for over 28 years, retiring this past December for health reasons. He was a former member of the Andover Fire and Rescue and was active in emergency medical services both with the rescue squad and the former Hawthorne Rescue Service.

He is survived by a daughter, Miss Carol Ann McDougall, and a son, William J., both of Andover; his mother, Bertha, of Chelsea, Mass.; his father, Gabriel, of Hanover, Mass.; seven sisters, Mrs. Paul (Margaret) Hunt of Hanover, Mass., Mrs. William (Marie) Cyrus of Weymouth, Mass., Miss Shirley McDougall, Miss Betty McDougall and Miss Jeanette McDougall, all of Pittsfield, Mass., Mrs. Sidney (Gail) McGuire of Rockland, Mass., and Miss Amber McDougall of Portland; and three brothers, Joseph McDougall of Hanover, Mass., Richard McDougall of Boston, Mass., and Butch McDougall of New Orleans, La.

Funeral services were held Saturday morning from the First Congregational Church in Andover with Rev. Norman Rust officiating. Spring interment at the Woodlawn Cemetery, Andover.

HUGH MASON CLARK

Hugh Mason Clark passed away at his home in Pine Hill, N. J. He was born Sept. 7, 1902, in Saco, Maine, to Roscoe and Lillian Kimball Clark.

He lived many years in Auburn, Maine, and was a graduate of Edward Little High School. He was a retired pattern maker from Westinghouse Corp. in Philadelphia, Pa. He is survived by his widow, Marie, and several cousins.

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White Mountain National Forest

Spring has returned to the Evans Notch Ranger District of the White Mountain National Forest. Forest roads have been closed or posted to restrict heavy loads when appropriate. Back-country foot travel is difficult because of varying conditions from mud to snow at higher elevations. The ski-touring and snowmobiling is at an end for the 1983-1984 winter.

On April 25, District personnel will host a tour of two recently harvested salvage areas that are to be planted this spring. Fifteen acres in one area will be planted with hemlock seedlings, and 131 acres in a second area will be planted with red spruce seedlings. Prospective bidders are asked to meet at the Saw Store at 9 a. m.

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3rd QUARTER HONOR ROLL

Grade 6: High Honors — Diane Aylward, Monika Burk, Kevin Davis, Marlies Ouwinga. Honors — Deborah Barker, Amy Blake, Michelle Boudreau, Todd Chadbourne, Aaron Conant, Stephanie Crockett, Nicole Cross, Karen Davis Marybeth Hannon, Angela Jordan, Jennifer Stowell, Audrey Thibodeau, Tracy Twitchell, Becky Witter.

Grade 7: High Honors — Brenda Taylor, Linda Taylor, Honors — Nathan Bean, Jamie Blake, Michelle

GOULD ACADEMY

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

The following Gould Academy seniors have been notified of their acceptance into college for the academic year beginning in September.

Roberta Zwecker, Rockland, Wells College, Aurora, N. Y.; Will Hazzard, Yarmouth, and Luis Rosado, New York, N. Y., Roanoke College, Salem, Va. Hazzard has also been accepted at the University of Maine at Orono in the College of Arts & Sciences; Cathryn Gauthier of Newry, with 256 points. M. Rossignol, Madawaska, The University of Maine at Orono, College of Arts & Sciences for Biology.

BAPTIST CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

ANNOUNCES HONOR ROLL

Phyllis Jamison, administrator of the First Baptist Christian School, Mexico, announces the third quarter honor roll for the 1983-84 school year, as follows:

High Honors: Robert Browning, Craig DuBois, Jarod Richard and Donald Windover.
Honors: Joel Boudreau, Clayton Browning, Peter Kimball, James Marion and Brian Wotton.
Honorable Mention: James Boudreau, Wendy Kidder, Brett Philbrick and Colin Philbrick.

DIED

In Auburn, April 11, William H. McDougall of Andover, aged 54 years.

In Gillette, N. J., April 16, Charles M. Andrews, formerly of Locke Mills, aged 90 years.
In Worcester, Mass., April 16, Mrs. John P. (Phyllis) Howe, formerly of Bethel.
In Pine Hill, N. J., April 1984, Hugh Mason Clark, aged 81 years.

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Bids are also being requested for the remodeling of a District warehouse at Gilead. Information concerning this project may be obtained from Floyd Dailey or Mary Paine. Bids are due in Laconia by May 20.

Monday morning, April 16, five individuals were randomly selected from 33 applicants to participate in this summer's Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) Program. The applicants selected were: Karen Gould, Benjamin Kellogg, Shawn Smith, Christopher Torrey, and Heather Webster. The YCC Program begins July 2. Primary activities during the eight week program include: Trail reconstruction, back-country shelter maintenance and environmental education. The program will end Aug. 24.

—Lyle Wiggin
Forestry Technician

Campbell, Alison Chapman, Brian Colby, Shannon Fuller, Jennifer Hutchins, Rebecca Hutchins, Jessica Kallejian, Tammy Littlefield, Stephen McLain, Paula Michaud, Michael Monzo, Debra Morton, Jill Murphy, Shawn Newcomb, Sandy Piatkowski, Louanne Rainey, Janina Remington, Bethany Taylor, Heidi Westleigh, Thaddeus Wheeler.

Grade 8: High Honors — Jason Adams, Julie Denison, Denise Gauthier, Stevens Learned, Angela Sawyer. Honors — Ben Bolen, Stacy Brown, Carl Colby, April Cole Bethany Coolidge, Todd Davis, Doreen Dyke, Scott Fraser, Marietta Head, Beth Hill, Brian Hughes, Mary Hutchinson, Charles Lavallee, Kathy Legendre, Linda Mason, Lori McKinney, Jana Moffet, Karen Morton, Diana Moxey, Alec Newell, Robbie Ouwinga, Melissa Palmer, Holly Roberts, Karen Simmons, Stacy Sumner, Michael Thompson, Danny Thuston, Derek Vail.

RUMFORD CHRISTIAN

ACADEMY HONOR ROLL

The Rumford Christian Academy announces the Honor Roll for its 3rd marking period: Grade 1—Sarah Boudreau, Joel Theriault; Grade 2—John Dutchburn, Vanessa Yates; Grade 7—Melissa Billings; Grade 9—Lynn Garand, Cynthia Howard; Grade 10—Brett Clemons; Grade 11—Trisha Boudreau.

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to all who remembered me with cards, flowers, gifts and visits while I was in the hospital and since I have returned home. Special thanks to the friends and relatives who have helped Libby in so many ways.
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The Telstar Regional High School Honor Society is pleased to announce that Sarah Buckman was selected as the Sophomore Student Achiever of the Week for April 2-6. Sarah was nominated by four high school faculty members for her outstanding scholastic achievement and positive attitude. Miss Holt nominated Sarah for her outstanding performance tutoring another student.

Mrs. Taylor cited Sarah for her superior work in English. Mr. Taylor selected Sarah based upon her excellent participation and attitude in French II and Telstar Librarian Dorothy Boyce noted Sarah's performance, volunteer work, initiative and positive attitude as a Library Club member and volunteer library aide. Congratulations Sarah. You also won a free pizza at Charlie's. The N.H.S. Chapter honors you.

SPORTS MEDICINE CLINIC

The S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program will sponsor a Sportsmedicine Seminar "Common Athletic Injuries to the Lower Extremities," at Telstar High School on Thursday, May 4 from 6:30 to 9:30. The staff of Sportsmedicine of Lewiston, including Gerald S. Hussar, will present the clinic, which should be of interest to area coaches of school and summer teams, as well as players and parents. To register for the clinic, call the S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education office, 824-2780.

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Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

The Greenwood Firemen's Auxiliary will meet April 24 at 6:30 at the Fire Station. Everyone is welcome.

Saturday, April 28, there will be a Faith Festival at Bates College from 9:30 a. m. to 2:30 p. m. A sign-up sheet is at the Union Church or one may contact the pastor if wishing to attend.

Reminders: The Easter Cantata is Saturday at 7 p. m. at the church. A sunrise service will be held Easter morning at 5, followed by breakfast and a mission film.

The Fire Department was called out Saturday evening for a fire at the home of Charles Grant, Richardson Hollow. The Auxiliary provided coffee and donuts.

Word has been received of the death of Charles Andrews April 16 at the V. A. Hospital, Lyons, N.

HUNT'S CORNER

AND VICINITY

Kathy Bennett, Corres.

A rainy April morning to be sure—what a way to start school vacation!

Recent visitors at the Wardwell Farm have been Arthur and Jane Ring and Kaye and Reginald Glines, also Lib Scribner.

Albert and Edna McAllister found enough hay to get them through till pasture time. I guess hay is really scarce.

Rupert and Edna Eastman of Fryeburg were Saturday callers at the Barton Farm. Saturday afternoon Franklin and Margaret called on relatives in Brownfield.

Lorrie and Steve Hodgdon and April and Allan and their children went to the Shrine Circus on Saturday night.

Recent visitors at the home of Hugh and Edith Stearns have been Dr. Shedd, Franklin Barton, Ivy Philbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Waterhouse, Frank and Terri and children, Danny Bennett, Joe and Christine Hatstat.

The outside work has begun at K.D.'s Acres—but the weather is not cooperating very well. Recent callers here have been,

J. Sympathy is extended to his family.

Mrs. Norma Ross has returned after spending the winter months with the Maurice Stone family, Largo, Fla. She is now a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital with phlebitis.

Nancy Cross and Phyllis Coolidge are spending this week in Europe with a group of students from Telstar Regional High School. Malinda Seames has been filling in at the Post Office.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills were in Farmington and Dryden Saturday. Mrs. Mills attended a morning meeting and they spent the afternoon and evening with the daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham is still recuperating from a severe cold. More work has been done this week on the Historical Society building.

Russ Nutting, Margaret Barton,

Flo Cairns, Jeff Barton, Scott Angeline and Rod White, Tuesday

Doug and I attended the variety show in Bethel as Don and Dave were both in it. Wednesday I attended the bowling banquet in South Paris. Thursday evening,

Lorrie Hodgdon, Margaret Barton, and I attended the Women's Fellowship meeting in North Waterford. Friday night we called on Flo and Warren Cairns in North Waterford. Sunday, Dave, Doug and I called on my folks in Bryant Pond.

Don't forget the sunrise service and breakfast at the Albany Church, Sunday, at 6 p. m.

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